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For: OPTICAL DISK REPRODUCING	)	<b>Mail Stop Amendment</b>
APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR	)	
CONTROLLING SPINDLE MOTOR	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the *Ex Parte Quayle* Action dated August 1, 2006, the period for reply which extends through October 1, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: